



## **BEARFACTS 1990 – 2000**

### **Dothan (MSA) [20020]**

Dothan is one of 363 Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSAs) in the nation. Its 2000 population of 131,065 ranked 272nd in the nation.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2000 Dothan had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$23,030. This PCPI ranked 285th in the United States and was 77 percent of the national average, \$29,845. The 2000 PCPI reflected an increase of 3.1 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 national change was 6.8 percent. In 1990 the PCPI of Dothan was \$15,451 and ranked 287th in the United States. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.1 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 4.4 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2000 Dothan had a total personal income (TPI) of \$3,018,467\*. This TPI ranked 281st in the United States. In 1990 the TPI of Dothan was \$1,866,883\* and ranked 279th in the United States. The 2000 TPI reflected an increase of 4.0 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 national change was 8.0 percent. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of TPI was 4.9 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 5.6 percent.

#### **COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Dothan. In 2000 net earnings accounted for 64.4 percent of TPI (compared with 66.7 in 1990); dividends, interest, and rent were 18.4 percent (compared with 19.1 in 1990); and personal current transfer receipts were 17.1 percent (compared with 14.3 in 1990). From 1999 to 2000 net earnings increased 1.8 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 8.8 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 7.4 percent. From 1990 to 2000 net earnings increased on average 4.6 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 4.6 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 6.9 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Dothan increased from \$2,081,807\* in 1999 to \$2,113,773\* in 2000, an increase of 1.5 percent. The 1999-2000 national change was 8.0 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1990 estimate of \$1,368,694\* to the 2000 estimate was 4.4 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 5.8 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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